

Remarks

Claims 55, 60, and 70 have been amended, claims 56-58, 61, and 62 have been cancelled, leaving claims 55, 59, 60, 64, 65, and 70 pending in the application.

Claims 58, 62, and 70 have been objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claim 55 has been amended to recite the limitations of claims 56 and 58. As indicated by the Examiner, amended claim 55 is allowable. Claims 59 and 70 depend from claim 55 and are allowable for at least the reasons that claim 55 is allowable.

Claim 60 has been amended to recite the limitations of claims 61 and 62. As indicated by the Examiner, amended claim 60 is allowable. Claims 64 and 65 depend from claim 60 and are allowable for at least the reasons that claim 60 is allowable.

Claims 55, 59, 60, 64, 65, and 70 are allowable and this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Applicant requests allowance of claims 55, 59, 60, 64, 65, and 70 in the Examiner's next action.

Respectfully submitted,

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